

# PATCO journal



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(Starting with Volume 23-Issue 1, an attempt is being made by PATCO members to build a list of tokens not known when the PA tome was published. We try to follow the example of Dr. Aqua, but stray from the strict standards. There are some storecards included that are not issued by pure merchants. Food Stamp tokens are not included, but we are compiling a separate list of them and need your help. Some, but not all plastic tokens, are included herein. New Independent Brewing Co. varieties are not entered into this list, but are maintained in our database. Some entries are incomplete, because only partial data was provided in eBay sales or retail listings. You are invited to add or correct any of this information if you have seen the actual token. Write to Larry Dziubek.)



(Elongated Quarter celebrating the centennial of the day that the steamboat *New Orleans* departed from Pittsburgh: FIRST STEAMBOAT TO PLAY THE OHIO RIVER - OCTOBER 20, 1811 - NEW ORLEANS OCT. 20, 1811-1911)

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## The Steamboat New Orleans

By Rich Bottles Jr.

This month marks the 200th anniversary of the first Steamboat voyage down the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers, specifically from Pittsburgh to New Orleans. But you won't hear of any bicentennial celebrations... or replica steamboats being built... or parades with scores of steamboats along Pittsburgh rivers... or grand speeches hosted by the Historical Society of Western Pennsylvania honoring the feat. No, in fact, you'll probably not even find anyone familiar with the historic voyage of a side-wheeled steamboat built and launched in Pittsburgh in October of 1811.

The fall of 1911, however, was a very different story. In fact, in October 1911, Captain James A. Henderson finished work, in an Elizabeth, Pa., shipyard, on an identical 138x26x6-foot replica of the *New Orleans*, which represented the first Western Rivers Steamboat and was designed to replicate the original historic voyage from Pittsburgh to New Orleans, La. The centennial edition of the steamboat began its commemorative journey down the Ohio River on November 2nd, accompanied by great fanfare and a procession of 47 other steamers. Obviously, a hundred years after the original event was not enough time lessen the significance of the original accomplishment in the hearts and minds of Pittsburghers.

According to Wikipedia, there were a few memorable names associated with the original steamboat: "The *New Orleans* was a joint venture of Robert Fulton (1765-1815), Robert R. Livingston (1746-1813), and Nicholas Roosevelt (1767-1854). Fulton had successfully commercialized the steamboat on the Hudson River with his *Clermont* in 1807 and Livingston was a wealthy New York politician and inventor. Fulton became familiar with the Ohio River while at Pittsburgh in 1786, and Livingston helped negotiate the Louisiana Purchase while minister to France from 1800 to 1804; it was during this time that the two met. Both men realized the great potential for steamboat traffic on the western waters; accordingly, within twelve days of the completion of the *Clermont*'s first voyage, they began to plan for the introduction of a steamboat on the western rivers. "

Fulton and Livingston asked sidewheel-steamboat inventor Nicholas Roosevelt to oversee construction of the Fulton-designed *New Orleans* and to navigate its maiden voyage. Construction of the *New Orleans* began in 1810 along the banks of the Monongahela River. On October 15, 1811, the *New Orleans* was taken on a trial trip around Pittsburgh, and then set sail for New Orleans on October 20th. Roosevelt was the captain, while his pregnant wife and young daughter accompanied him on board. His socialite wife, Lydia Latrobe Roosevelt, was the daughter of U.S. Capitol architect Benjamin H. Latrobe. The rest of the crew included engineer Nicholas Baker, pilot Andrew Jack, and six other workers (not to mention Lydia's two female servants, a waiter, a cook, and a Newfoundland dog named Tiger). The citizens of Pittsburgh turned out in droves to cheer the departure of the steamboat.

As was the case with many significant events during the years 1910-1911, the centennial of the *New Orleans* historic voyage was commemorated on elongated coins, which featured the image of Henderson's replica boat and hailed the October 20 1811 date of the original Pittsburgh launch.

Lebanon						
X1	B	21	Oc	CENTRAL DEMOCRATIC CLUB / LEBANON, PA. Good For / 5¢ / In Trade		R5
X2	A	22	R	FRAZIER'S BAR / 3 <sup>RD</sup> & / LEHMAN / STS. / LEBANON, PA. Good For / 5¢ / In Trade		R6
X3	B	21	Oc	KEYSTONE / GUN / CLUB Good For / 5¢ / In / Merchandise		R5
X4	B	21	Oc	KEYSTONE / GUN / CLUB Good For / 5¢ / In Trade [no Osborne Reg]		R5
X5	A	25	Oc	LEBANON / HOOK & LADDER / COMPANY / #1 / LEBANON, PENNA. Good For / 20¢ / In Trade		R4
X6	A	29	Cl	LEBANON / ORIOLES / NO. 147 Good For / 5¢ / In Trade		R6
X7	B	22	Hx	L. O. O. M. / 228 Good For / 10¢ / In Trade		R6
X8	B	25	R	ORDER OF ROBINS / No. 1 / LEBANON, PA. 10¢ / In Trade		R5
X9	W	42x25	Re	OXYDIZED JEWELRY. / GEO. C. WOLF, / 740 CUMBERLAND ST., / LEBANON, PA. / CHAINS AND PINS. Bifacial		R5
X10	B	20	Oc	PERSEVERANCE / BAND / ASSOCIATION Good For / 5¢ / In Merchandise		R5
Lecontes						
X1	B	20	R	MIKE McSHERRY / LECONTES, PA. Good For / 5¢ / In Trade		R6
Leechburg						
X1	A	29	R	BUCK'S / PLACE In Trade / 5¢ / In Cash / 2 1/2 c		R5
X2	B	21	R	GOOD FOR / 5¢ / BUCKS PLACE / IN TRADE 5c		R6
Leetsdale						
X1	A	29	R	A & A / ROCKET / CAR WASH Car Wash / Token		R5
Leighton						
X1	A	21	R	LEHIGH FIRE CO. / NO. 1 / LEIGHTON, PA. Good For / 5¢ / In Trade		R6
X2	A	25	Oc	LEIGHTON ROD AND GUN / CLUB (fishing rod and rifle)		R6

Lewisburg						
X1	A	36	R	SEE / GRENOBLE BROS. / UNIVERSITY / JEWELERS / FOR / R5 COLLEGE & FRATERNITY / JEWELRY / REPAIRING & ENGRAVING / LEWISBURG, PA. Good For / 5% / On All / Purchases / Of / \$1.00 / Or Over / Cash Purchase Only		
X2	A	29	Sc-12	THE LEWISBURG SADDLE CLUB / LEWISBURG / PA. L. S. C.	R6	
Lewistown						
X1	A	25	Cl	AMERICAN LEGION ASSOCIATION / OF / LEWISTOWN, / PA. Good For / 5¢ / In Merchandise	R6	
X2	B	36	R	PENNSYLVANIA STATE FIREMEN'S CONVENTION / ( many R4 scenes and fire equipment ) / LEWISTOWN, PA. / 1940 Mifflin County Firemen's / Good / Luck / Coin / Association / Bastian Bros. Co. MPB/PIU Rochester, N.Y.		
Library						
X1	B	25	R	Mrs. / GOOD / 5¢ / R RIDGE / LIBRARY / PA (incuse) Blank	R7	
Limeport						
X1	A	21	Oc	LIMEPORT / ATHLETIC / ASS'N Good For / 5¢ / In Trade	R5	
Liverpool						
X1	A	26	R	P. O. S. OF A. / 5 / 217 Bifacial [ Patriotic Order Sons of America ]	R6	
Lock Haven						
X1	A	28	Cl	LOCK HAVEN F. O. E. / 560 The Brunswick-Balke / Collender / Compy. / (pool table) / Check	R6	
Loganville						
X1	A	38	R	GLATFELTER'S GARAGE / CHRYSLER / & / PLYMOUTH / SALES & SERVICE / LOGANVILLE / PA. Good For / \$ 1.00 / On / Purchase / Of / \$ 10.00	R6	
Longswamp Township						
X1	Ir	32	R	FOR CLERK OF / QUARTER SESSIONS / 1923 / C. H. SCHWARTZ / LONGSWAMP TOWNSHIP / RESPECTFULLY SOLICITS / YOUR VOTE / AND INFLUENCE W. & H. CO. NEWARK, N.J. Keep This Coin And Have / (swastika) / Good Luck The Whitehead & Hoag Co. Newark, N. J.	R5	
Lower Burrell						
X1	A	31	R	LET / KIRK'S / "LOWER YOUR PANTS" PRICES Redeemable For / \$1.00 / At / Kirk's / In Trade On A Pair Of Pants	R5	
X2	B	23	R	RASCALS / (animal head) / NO CASH VALUE Coca-Cola / ®	R3	

Lundys Lane					
X1	B	19	R	BANNISTER'S STORE / 5 / LUNDYS / LANE Normal 1909 Ingle Reverse	R6
X2	B	35	R	BANNISTER'S STORE / 100 / LUNDYS / LANE Normal 1909 Ingle Reverse	R6
Lykens					
X1	B	22	Sq	EDDIE'S / PLACE / LYKENS, PA. Good For / 25¢ / In Trade	R5
Lynnport					
X1	B	19?	R	OSWALD'S HOTEL / C. S. OSWALD / PROP. / LYNNPORT PA. Good For / 5¢ / In Trade	R6
Madera					
X1	B	18	R	L. BONGIOVANNI / 1/ NON / TRANSF. Normal 1914 Ingle Reverse [ Wildwood in Aqua ]	R7
X2	B	35	R	L. BONGIOVANNI / 100 / NON / TRANSF. Normal 1914 Ingle Reverse	R7
Mahanoy City					
X1	A	?	R	SCHOEN'S CAFE / F. M. SCHOEN / PROP. / MAHONoy CITY, PA. Good For / 5c / At / Mikes Place	R6
Manifold					
X1	K	31x22	Ov	CHARLES B. FUNKA / MANIFOLD, PA. Good For / 10¢ / In Trade	R6
Mansfield					
X1	B	24	R	HOLROYD & CO. / SHOE / STORE / MANSFIELD, PA. Good / For / 5¢ / At Holroyd & Co's Store	R6
Marienville					
X1	N	21	R	MARIENVILLE / OKTOBERFEST / SEPT. 25 26 27 / MARIENVILLE, PA ( Yellow Sticker on U.S. 5¢ ) 1984-P Jefferson Nickel [ Used at 1987 Oktoberfest ]	R4
X2	A	19	R	MARIENVILLE / VARIETY / STORE Good For / 5¢ / In Trade	R7
Marietta					
X1	B	?	R	FAHRINGER'S / INN / 5¢ / MARIETTA, PA. Good For / 5¢ / In Trade / The Osborne Register Co. Cin. O.	R6
X2	A	20	R	THE / MARIETTA / PA. / CRAB Good For / 5¢ / In Trade	R6
Marshall Township					
X1	B	29	R	MARSHALL TOWNSHIP / 1863 / 1963 / CENTENNIAL Crossroads Of / ( 4 leaf clover ) / Western Penna.	R5
Marshallton					

X1?	A	28	Sc-6	P & G / CIGAR STORE / MARSHALTON (Seen with Z c/s) Good For / 5¢ / In Trade	R6
Masontown X1	A	26	Oc	MASONTOWN / DAIRY / MASONTOWN, / PA. Good For / 5¢ / With Bottle	R5
Matamoras X1	Ni	29	R	800-424-2442 / MATAMORAS, / PA / (flag) / WWW.GO 24. com Five Dollars / Go 24™ / 2000 / HM / Orders \$5 Guaranteed	R4
Mauch Chunk X1	A	20	R	MOOSE CLUB / 1045 / MAUCH CHUNK / PA. Good For / 10¢ / In Trade	R5
X2	B	21	Oc	2 <sup>nd</sup> WARD / HOTEL / PHONE 504-M / MAUCH CHUNK, / PA. Good For / 5¢ / In Trade	R6
Mayfield X1	Fr	19	R	CICIO'S CAFE / MAYFIELD / PA. Good For / 10¢ / In Trade	R6
X2	B	19	R	M. YURKIWSKI / MAYFIELD, / PA. Good For / 5 / In Trade	R7
Mayport X1	A	25	R	AMERICAN / HOTEL / MAYPORT, PA. Good For / 5¢ / In Trade	R6
McAdoo X1	M	22x19	Re	EDDIES / INN / McADOO Blank [ Steel Planchet ]	R6
McDonald X1	A	22	Oc	SOLIDARITE / B1 / ASSOCIATION Blank [ Belgium Club ]	R6
McEwensville X1	A	?	R	REYNOLDS / BARBER / SHOP / McEWENSVILLE, PA. Good For / 5¢ / In Merchandise	R6
McKeesport X1	Bp	20	R	B. G. LANDSTROM / 5 / (five stars) Normal 1914 Ingle Reverse	R5
X2	A	16	R	CRESCENT / RESTAURANT / McKEESPORT, PA. Good For / 1¢ / In Merchandise	R7
X3	A	35	R	J. HIRSHBERG CO. , 331 FIFTH AVE. / GOOD FOR / \$ 5 / WHEN YOU PURCHASE \$ 50 / McKEESPORT, PA. Bifacial	R6
X4?	B	18	R	J. H. Y. / McK. Good For / 10¢ / In Trade	R6

# PATCO SWAP & MEETING

Saturday, Oct. 15, 2011

A PATCO club meeting and swap will be held from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the David L. Lawrence Convention Center in downtown Pittsburgh, PA, specifically at 1000 Ft. Duquesne Blvd.

The PATCO meeting is being held in conjunction with the ANA's Pittsburgh National Money Show. Look for signs near the bourse floor to direct you to the PATCO meeting area in Room 330. Directions:

#### From the Airport

Take I-376 E (towards Pittsburgh) through the Fort Pitt Tunnel and across the Fort Pitt Bridge. Take Ft. Duquesne Blvd Exit 6C. Follow sign to Convention/Strip District on 10th Street Bypass. Convention Center located on the right.

#### From the East | PA Turnpike

I-76 W (PA Turnpike) to Exit 57 Pittsburgh, Take I-376 W to Exit 728 Blvd. of the Allies. Take I-579 N to Seventh Ave /Convention Center Exit. Take Seventh Ave. Turn right onto William Penn Way. William Penn Way becomes 10th St. Convention Center straight ahead.

#### From the West | PA Turnpike

I-76 E (PA Turnpike) to Exit 28 Cranberry. Follow signs to I-79 S to I-279 S across Ft. Duquesne Bridge to 10 th Street Bypass. Convention Center located on the right.

#### From the North

I-79 S to I-279 S across Ft. Duquesne Bridge to 10th Street Bypass. Convention Center located on the right.

#### From the South

I-79 N to Exit 59 A Pittsburgh to I-279 N through Ft. Pitt Tunnels and across the Ft. Pitt Bridge. Take Ft. Duquesne Blvd Exit 6C. Follow sign to Convention/Strip District on 10th Street Bypass. Convention Center located on the right.